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MEMORANDUM FOR

: The Ambassador

FROM

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SUBJECT

: Lee OSWALD/Contact with the Soviet Embassy
Ambassador notified

1. The following information was received from a usually reliable [redacted] source: On 1 October 1963, an American male contacted the Soviet Embassy and identified himself as Lee OSWALD. This officer determined that OSWALD had been at the Soviet Embassy on 28 September 1963 and had talked with Valeriy Vladimirovich KOSTIKOV, a member of the Consular Section, in order to learn if the Soviet Embassy had received a reply from Washington concerning his request. We have no clarifying information with regard to this request.

2. Our Headquarters has informed us that the OSWALD above is probably identical with Lee Henry OSWALD, born on 18 October 1959 in New Orleans, Louisiana, a former radar operator in the U. S. Marine Corps who defected to the Soviet Union in October 1959.

3. This office will advise you if additional information on this matter is received.

Orig - The Ambassador

The Minister

Counselor for Political Affairs

Regional Security Officer - PLEASE RETURN [redacted]

cc - Legal Attache

cc - Naval Attache

cc - I & M S

cc - Lee Henry OSWALD P-

cc - [redacted]

cc - [redacted]

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